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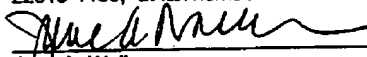
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After reviewing the Filing Receipt, dated June 28, 2004 for the above-identified application, we note that the total number of claims is incorrect. This application includes multiple dependent claims, which apparently were not counted in

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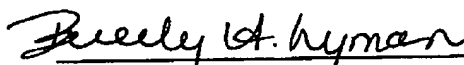
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Inasmuch as the attached documents show the correct number of total claims, it is requested that a corrected Filing Receipt be issued which accurately reports the total number of claims to be: –74–.

Respectfully submitted,

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Title: REAGENTS AND METHODS FOR ISOLATION OF PURIFIED RNA

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